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SUBJECT: DENIAL OF EXHORS

REFS: BELGRADE 4487

1. FOR EMBASSY INFO, COMMERCE/OEA DENYING TWO EXPORT APPLICATIONS, BEWT 158202, EUC NO. U-46, 16 JAN 75, AND BEWT 170083, EUC U-665, 1 APR 75. BOTH ARE FOR TEKTRONIX MODEL 485 (350 MHZ BANDWIDTH) OSCILLOSCOPES, 4,806 DOLLARS EACH. CASE 158202 WAS SUBJECT OF REFTEL PRE-LICENSE CHECK. END-USE IN CASE 158202, CONSIGNMENT TO INDUSTRIJA 14 OKTOBAR, KRUSEVAC, IS FOR TESTING OF PROCESS/CONTROL EQUIPMENT AND IN CASE 170083, CONSIGNMENT TO ISKRA COMMERCE, LJUBLJANA, FOR SLOVENE RAILWAYS, IS FOR MONITORING OF RAILWAY EQUIPMENT. SUCH END-USAGES ARE COMPLETELY OUT OF LINE WITH CAPABILITY OF 350 MHZ SCOPE, WHICH IS ONE OF BEST U.S.-MADE SCOPES, WITH LITTLE IF ANY FOREIGN COMPETITION. DIVERSION TO BLOC-- WHERE SUCH ITEMS WOULD NEVER BE APPROVED-- IS OF COURSE

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THE CONCERN.

2. THESE TWO CASES ARE AMONG VERY FEW EXPORTS SO FAR DENIED TO YUGOSLAVIA (A NUMBER OF CASES ARE STILL PENDING RESOLUTION). DENIALS ARE ON HIGHLY SELECTIVE BASIS, INVOLVING SOPHISTICATED PRODUCTS WHERE APPROVAL CANNOT BE JUSTIFIED ON BASIS END-USE GIVEN. THIS IS NO REFLECTION ON END-USE CERTIFICATES OR ON INFO SUPPLIED BY YUGOSLAV CHAMBER, AS SIMILAR TREATMENT WOULD BE GIVEN EXPORTS UNDER THESE CIRCUMSTANCES TO OTHER WESTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES.

3. EMBASSY REQUESTED, AT ITS DISCRETION, INFORM DIMOV OF FOREGOING. KISSINGER

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